

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME BOROUGH COUNCIL

## Election of Borough Councillors for

### Holditch & Chesterton

on Thursday 7 May 2026

I, Gordon Mole, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BARBER, Wayne	Reform UK	566 Elected
CHAMBERLAIN, Jon Lee	Reform UK	554 Elected
GROCOTT, David Peter	The Labour Party Candidate	369
OSODE, Precious Idowu	The Labour Party Candidate	315
OWEN, Ken	Conservative Party Candidate	168
ROBINSON, Kevin John	Conservative Party Candidate	105

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	6
E rejected in part	0
Total	7

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 4029

Ballot Papers Issued: 1089

Turnout: 27.0%

And I do hereby declare that

BARBER, Wayne

CHAMBERLAIN, Jon Lee

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 8 May 2026

Gordon Mole  
Returning Officer